May Corn and Oats Were Sympathetic and Went Down Slightly-Provisions Showed Strength and Closed Higher.

kets were dull to-day. Wheat was firm early, but eased off on profit taking and rather free selling against weekly calls, closing Me under yesterday for May. May corn and May outs closed a shade lower and provisions 2146 to better. The wheat market was steady at the opening with

the initial figures for May unchanged from yester-day, at 70%@70%c. Cables were steady and rereipts light, but this support failed in the face of free selling against weekly calls and some profit free selling against weekly calls and some profit taking. The Argentine news was confusing by reamon of the conflict in the reports, a private wire declaring the weather unsettled, while Liverpool asserted that climatic conditions were favorable and that the Argentines would have 75,000,000 bushels exportable surplus. A shade more credence was given the English advices. May ranged from 65% to 75% c, closing %c down at 65% 670c. Primary receipts were 505,000 bushels, against 1,184,500 last year. Minneapolis and Duiuth reported 46 cars, against 511 last week and 524 a year ago. Local receipts were 506 cars, 11 of contract grade. Clear-ances were 150,000 bushels. Primary receipts for the week showed a falling off of about 6,000,000 bushels under the corresponding week last year. Towards the close the market felt some uneasiness over the muney situation in New York. The inanimation of business was due largely to the scarcity of declaire miness was due largely to the scarcity of decisive stistics and partly to the fact that it was Saturorn was steady, but very dull, and held on the

Corn was steady, but very dull, and held on the west weather, prospects of rain and the good all rail lemand. Local professional bulls bought May. Resigns here were 225 cars. Liverpool was le higher on spot, which was something of a support. Stocks are are expected to increase 250,000 bushels. Clearnees were 155,000 bushels. May opened a shade up, ranged from 22½c to 23½c, closing a shade under resterday at 22½GESC.

Outs held their own in spite of the dullness, but rade was quiet and the range very narrow. Light vecipits, together with the supporting factors in sorn, were a steadying influence. Receipts here were \$50 cars. May sold from 24c to 24½GEA;c, closing a shade down at 24gEA;c. Clearances were 23,000 sushels. Stocks are expected to show a moderate nervesse.

visions opened strong and although the market Provisions opened strong and although the market let couniderable commission house liquidation consumed steady throughout. Hogs were up a trifle at me yards and Liverpool better for bacon, conditions which supported the price. Trade was not titve and fluctuations accordingly narrow. May ork sold from \$5.97½ to \$10.00@10.05. closing for yesterday at \$10.05; May lard from \$5.50 to \$5.55 714 and closed 214c better at \$5.5715, and May from \$5.35 to \$5.3715, closing 21485c up at

LOCAL GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat Weak to Lower-Corn Higher -Oats Steady.

store—Wheat, 2.112,300 bushels; corn, 87,600 bush oats, 18,600 bushels, and rye, 30,000 bushels. Wheat.

nds at 55c, 2 cars 53 pounds at 55c, 1 car 54 ejected hard, 1 car 54 pounds at 53c, 1 car 50% nds at 53%c, 1 car 50 pounds at 52c, 2 cars 46

1 car 55% pounds at 64c, 1 car 51% pounds at 551gc.

Ransas City futures yesterday and the day before:

Closed
Wheat— Opened, High. Low. Closed, Fri. Dec ... 61% 64% 64% 67%

Corn.

Onts.

Receipts the past 24 hours

CORNMEAL—Stondy and in tair demand. Hulk, 574,556 per cwt. CORN CHOP—Slow sale. Sacked, 564,655 per cwt. BRAN—Active and firmer. Sacked, 1 car at 58 per cwt, and 1 car at 58 per cwt, and 1 car at 58 per cwt, and 1 car at 58 per cwt.

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CASTOR BEANS—In car lots, \$1.05 per bushel, and \$1.00 per bushel for less.

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Receipts and shipments by cars the past 24 hours: Receipts. Shipments 1899, 1898, 1899, 1898 - 43 *42 11 4

cars \$6.75, 1 car \$6.50; 2 cars good No. 2 prairie \$6.50, cars \$6.75, 1 car \$6.50; 2 cars good No. 2 prairie \$5.50, 1 car \$6.55; 1 car No. 3 prairie \$5.50.
Quotations range as follows: Prairie hay, choice, \$7.00@7.50; No. 1, \$6.50@7.00; No. 2, \$6.00@5.50; No. 3, \$3.50@6.00; No. 4, \$4.50@5.00; packing, \$4.00@4.50.
Timothy hay, choice, \$3.00@9.50; No. 1, \$8.50@7.00; No. 2, \$6.00@8.50; No. 3, \$6.50@7.50; No. 1, \$5.00@8.50; No. 2, \$6.50@7.00; No. 2, \$6.00@6.50.
Pure clover, \$6.50@7.25. Alfalfa, \$7.00@8.50.
Bye atraw, \$4.00@4.25. Wheat straw, \$4.00@4.50.
Oats straw, \$3.50@4.00.

Yesterday's Chicago Market, Furnished by French Bros. Commission Company room 22, Board of Trade building:

Opened, highest, Lowest, Closed, Friday, 6614-16 8 6636 8 6636 8 6636 8 6656 7046-16 7036 6716 6836-70 7036-16 7036-16 7036 7036-36 7036-36 Dec May OATS 31% 30% 30% 30% 31% 32% 32%-33 33 31 22% 22% 22%-16 22%-16 22% 24% 24%-16 24 24-16 24% 9 52% 9 75 9 52% 10 05 9 57% - 10 05 5 3714 5 35 5 3714 5 3214 5 3714 5 35 5 3715 5 03 5 5714 5 5214-55 5 5714 5 5214-55 Estimated for Monany Whital, W. Cars; oths, 175 cars.
WHEAT—Cash—No. 2 red, 65@69c; No. 3 red, 65@60c; No. 2 hard, 65@66c; No. 3 hard, 62@65c.
CORN—Cash—No. 2 mixed, 23c; No. 2 white, 31c.
OATS—Cash—No. 2 mixed, 23c; No. 2 white, 25%c.

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Futs on Chicago May wheat, good next week, were quoted at 68%; calls, 71%; puts on May corn, 22%;

A Washington message yesterday said: The govern-ment crop report will probably not be out until Tues-day or Wednesday. day or Wednesday.

Minneapolis received 374 cars of wheat yesterday, against 503 cars a year ago, and Duluth 95 cars, against 512 cars a year ago, and Duluth 95 cars, against 421 cars a year ago.

Deliveries on December contracts at Chicago late Friday were 75,000 bushels of wheat, 25,000 bushels of corn and 50,000 bushels of cats.

The cash business at Chicago Friday was 250,000 bushels of corn and 50,000 bushels of oats. Exporters took 129,000 bushels of wheat and 112,000 bushels of corn and seaboard.

Puts on Chicago May wheat and Mondey and the

The exports of wheat and flour from both coasts of

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—There was no change of any importance in the dry goods market to-day. The demand for staple cottons is of ordinary character, and supplies of brown bleached and coarse colored goods continued insufficient. Prints are in good request at the new prices made this week. No change in ginghams. High grade woven patterned fabrics advanced 5510 per cent. Print cloths quiet for regulars, but good demand for narrow odds; prices firm. Cotton worsted and woolen yarns are still strong and difficult to buy.

Rye and Seeds.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—FLAXSEED—December closed le higher at 11.44½; May, 11.40; cash Northyest, 11.45; cash Southwest, 11.45. BARLEY—Cash, 25:9 44c. RYE—December, 51½c; May, 53½c. TIMOTHY—December, 52.40. 11.45; cash Southwest, 5145; May, 5345e. TIMOTHY
-December, 52.40.
ST. LOUIS, Dec. 9.—RYE—Higher, 5246. FLAXSEED—Higher, 51.40. TIMOTHY-51.9092.15.
TOLEDO, Dec. 2.—RYE—Quiet; No. 2, cash, 56c.
CLOVERSEED—Higher, steady; prime cash, old,
34.50; December, \$5.574; March, \$5.624.

MONEY, STOCKS AND BONDS

STOCK MARKET ANIMATED DURING SHORT SESSION. Determined Liquidation in Sugar Caused Weakness in Industrials

-Bond Market Moved in

Sympathy With Stocks.

As usual Saturday, there was but little doing As usual Saturday, there was but little doing yesterday save over the counter, but this business was fairly good. Some little new paper was in from the country, but home borrowers wanted nothing. Rates steady at 66% per cent. Currency shipments to the country only fair. Bank clearings, \$1,955,428, against \$2,088,914 the same day last year, a decrease of \$130,486, a loss of 6 per cent; for the week, \$14,-654,117, against \$12,128,728 last year, an increase of \$2,127,328, a rate of 17 per cent.

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the United States and Canada in the twenty-three weeks after July 2 amounted to \$4,833,600 bushels, such as a part and 18,000,600 bushels, spear ago. 116,030,600 bushels in properly and the supplied of the

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NEW YORK, Dec. 9 .- Money on call steady at per cent; prime mercantile paper, 566 per cent; sterling exchange, etcady, with actual business in bankers bills at \$4.865,64.865 for demand and \$4.814,664.815 for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.826 4.825 and \$4.875; commercial bills, \$4.805. 1.82½ and 34.87½; commercial bills, 34.80%.
ST. LOUIS, Dec. 9.—Clearings, 34.189.415; balances,
ST. LOUIS, Dec. 9.—Clearings, 34.189.415; balances,
346.198; money, 6528 per cent; New York exchange,
par bid; 25c premium asked.
NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Clearings, \$188.634.769; balances, 15,834,388.
BOSTON, Dec. 9.—Clearings, \$22,805,621; balances 2.911,565, PHILADRIPHIA, Dec. 9.—Clearings, \$14,684,241; PHRADBLE HIA, Dec. 9.—Clearings, 14,584,241; balances, 11,550,452; for the week, clearings, 183,360,233; balances, 150,776,861; money, 566 per cent.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 9.—Clearings, 14,681,688; balances, 1431,939; for the week, clearings, 133,71,372; balances, 33,531,955; money 6 per cent.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Money, 563½ per cent; rate of discount in the open market for ahort bills, 54,695; per cent; for three months' bills, 54,655; per cent.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.-Bar silver, 591/c; Mexican lollars, 474c. LONDON, Dec. 9.—Bar silver, steady, 274d pe

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 2.—WHEAT—Receipts, 13,000 bushels; shipments, 41,000 bushels. Weak. No. 2 red. cash, elevator 68%c, track 70½671c: December, 68c; May, 72% 672½c: No. 2 hard, 57668c. CORN—Receipts, 64,000 bushels; shipments, 49,000 bushels. Higher. No. 2. cash 20½c, track 20½6203%c: December, 30½6; May, 13% 631½c. OATS—Heccipts, 28,000 bushels; shipments, 9,000 bushels. Steady. No. 2, cash 24c, track 24½c: December, 23%c: May, 25c; No. 2 white, 25% 627c. FORK—Firm; standard mess, Jobbing, 49,50. LARD—Higher: prime steam, 15,20; choice, 52.2½c. CORNMEAL—Steady, 31.75g1.80. BIRAN—Quiet, steady; sacked, east track, 62c. HAY—About steady; timothy, 39,00g11.60; prairie, 36,00g 8,50. COTTON TIES, BA7GING AND HEMP TWINE 45.37½; clear ribs and sides, 45,50. BACON—Boxed shoulders, 45,75; clear ribs, 40,12½c; clear sides, 46,25. MINNEAPOLIS. Dec. 9.—WHEAT—In store—No. 1 Northern, 67½c; May, 66½c; July, 68½c. On. 2 Northern, 67½c; No. 2 Northern, 67½c; No. 2 Northern, 67½c; No. 1 Firm; No. 1, 5544626c. BaRLEY—Firm; No. 2

Northern, 62%c.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 2.—WHEAT—Steady: No. 1
Northern, 67%c: No. 2 Northern, 66666%c. RYE—
Firm: No. 1, 55%g56c. BARLEY—Firm: No. 2,
2%c: sample, 35%g56c. BARLEY—Firm: No. 2,
2%c: sample, 35%g56c.

DULUTH, Dec. 9.—WHEAT—No. 1 hard, cash,
63%c bid; No. 1 Northern, cash, 64%c: May, 65%c:
No. 2 Northern, 62%c: No. 3 spring, 58%c.
Liverpool, Dec. 2.—WHEAT—Spot, firm: No. 1
California, 68 1%d to 68 24; No. 2 red Western winter, 58 8%d: No. 2 Northern spring, 58 11%d. CORN
—Spot, American mixed, firm, 38 6%d: Futures, December, nominal; January, steady, 38 6%d: February,
steady, 38 6%d: FLOUR—St. Louis fancy winter,
firm, 7s. HOPS (at London)—Pacific coast, firm, £2
10s to £6 10s. BEEF—Steady: extra India mess, \$28
561; prime mess, 76s 3d. PORK—Steady; prime Western, 57s 7d. HAMS—Short cut, 14 to 16 pounds, duli,
22s; short ribs, 18 to 22 pounds, steady, 36s; long
clear middles, light, 39 to 35 pounds, steady,
35s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 pounds, and,
35s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 pounds, steady,
35s; clear bellies, 13 to 16 pounds, firm, 33s 6d.
LARD—Steady; Western, in tierces, 27s 84; American
refined, in pails, 25s 3d. BUTTER—Finest United
States, 34s; good, 73s. CHEESE—Firm; American
finest white, 57s; American finest colored, 5s 6d.
TALLOW—Prime city, steady, 27s 5d; Australian in
London, firm, 25s 5d. COTTONSEED OIL—Hull refined. November-April, steady, 17s 5d. ROSIN—Common,
firm, 48 4%d. PETROLEUM—Refined, 5%d.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry and Cheese.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry and Cheese. NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—BUTTER—Receipts, 2,104 packages; firm; Western creamery, 23@27c; June creamery, 22@27c; June creamery, 22@27c; June ceipts, 3,005 packages; firm; fall made, fancy, small, 12%,612%c; large, fall made, 12%,612%c; lare made, small, 128,12%c; large, 11%c. EGGS—Receipts, 2,900 packages; steady; Western ungraded at mark, 18 621%c. packages; steady; (Sec. 2) poutray—Steady; chickens, ST. LOUIS, Dec. 9.—POULTRY—Steady; chickens, St. Louis, S DRESSED POULTRY—Firm; turkeys, 9694c; chickens, 768c.
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 9.—BUTTER—Steady; fancy Western, 27c; fancy Western prints, 28c. EGGS.
Steady: fresh nearby, 22c; fresh Western, 22c: fresh Southwestern, 20c; fresh Southern, 19c. CHEESB—Quiet but firm.
DENVER, Dec. 9.—EGGS—Steady and in fair demand at 18c. BUTTER—Creamery, 27630c; dairy, 18618c; roll, 14611c. POULTRY—Turkeys, 86104c; hens, 56715c; springs, 7635c. POTATOES—80c@ \$1.00 per cwt.

Cotton.

VERY FEW CATTLE IN AND THE USUAL SATURDAY'S DULLNESS.

celpts and a Shade Higher-But Few Sheep In and But Little Trading.

Receipts

Shipments

Drive-outs

Very little doing yesterday; only a few hundred in and it was a rainy, disagreeable day, besides being Saturday, which was a further inducement for buyers to keep indoors. But few sales in consequence was made and prices showed the usual weakness incident to the last day of the week. Milch cowasteady and choice in good demand and firm; poor dull. Common, \$156720; medium to fair, \$25635; good to choice, \$406725.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES.

COWS.

No. Av. Price. No. Av. Price. No. Av. Price. 1..1060..\$ 3.50 1..1110..\$ 5.25 No. Av. Price. 2..1075.. 3.50 BULLS. 1..1000.. 270 | 7.. 797.. 3 85 | 2.. 935.. 3 00 | CALVES. 1.. 170.. 5 50 | WESTERN STEERS.

WESTERN SIELES 4.1002. 2 80 | 1.910. 2 80 | WESTERN COWS. 65. 595. 2 60 | 1.780. 2 75 | 11. HOGS—Movements the past 24 hours:

Receipts ..

IORSES-Draft horses, good, 1,250 to

Working in Harmony in the Inspection of Southern Cattle.

Chairman M. C. Campbell, of the Kansas live stock sanitary board, was in the city yesterday and made the following statement of the reported conflict between his department and the government in inspection of Southern cattle:

"I note in the morning editions of the Kansas City papers a special from Coffeyville, Kas., stating that there is a clash between the live stock sanitary board of Kansas and the government department in regard to inspection, and that government inspectors permit cattle coming from points south of quarantine line to points north of same to proceed without further restrictions, except those imposed at points of destination. That is a very fair statement of the case.

"The points of destination for these cattle are points in Kansas and the Kansas City stock yards, as all the railroads bringing cattle into the Kansas City stock yards unload upon the Kansas side. This, of course, makes the Kansas City stock yards a point in Kansas and subject to its rules and regulations. For points beyond the state of Kansas the Kansas board exacts no restrictions. The government officers issue permits carrying them to these points, subject only to any restriction that may be imposed by the states at destination points.

"The Kansas board is not interfering in any way with interstate commerce; it simply requires all cattle which originate south of quarantine line for points in Kansas and the native division of the Kansas City stock yards to comply with its regulations.

"The government department is in full sympathy

points in Kansas and the native division of the Kansas City stock yards to comply with its regulations.

"The government department is in full sympathy and co-operation with Kansas in this matter.

"The Kansas board is not attempting to stop these cattle because they do not pay fees, but because they refuse to allow Kansas inspectors to examine them and issue health permits where they are entitled to the same.

"The fees are necessary to maintain the system because the state of Kansas has made no appropriation by which the system can be maintained otherwise.

"Even though the cattle are billed to the Kansas City stock yards of Missouri it does not entitle them to pass the Kansas inspectors for the reason above given, and for the further fact that Missouri has passed the same regulations by an order issued yesterday, and which was in effect even prior to that, making all of the Kansas inspectors inspectors for Missouri, and the Kansas board has made the Missouri inspectors inspectors for Kansas, maintaining a joint arrangement in this matter.

"The Kansas board intends to prosecute all violations of its rules and regulations and the sooner the rallicades and shippers realize this the better it will be for all concerned.

"No, there is no clash between the government inspectors and those of Kansas. Each has its duties to perform, which do not conflict with the other in any way."

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LIVE STOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

SOUTH OMAHA, Dec. 9.—CATTLE—Receipts, 50 teady. HOGS-Receipts, 8,400; 5@10c higher; top, \$3.97%; bulk, \$3.90. SHEEP-Receipts, 400; firm. ST. LOUIS, Dec. 9 .- CATTLE-Receipts, 200; ma et steady. HOGS—Recelpts, 3,500; best 5c higher, others weak; op, 54,12½; bulk, 33,96@4.05. SHEEP—None.

SOUTH ST. JOSEPH, Dec. 1.—CATTLE—Receipts SOUTH ST. JOSEPH, Dec. 2.—CATTLE—Rocelpts, 200; strong.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,000; 5@7½c higher; top, 34.00; bulk, 32.95@3.57½.

SHEEP—Receipts, 200; steady.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—CATTLE—Receipts, 300. Generally steady, unchanged. Good to choice, 35.60@7.75; poor to medium, 34.20@5.40; mixed stockers, 33.00@3.75; selected feeders, 34.00@4.55; good to choice cows, 33.55@4.75; helicers, 32.25@5.90; canners, 32.00@3.00; bulks, 32.25@4.50; calves, 34.00@7.75; for trans beeves, 34.00@5.55; grass Texas steers, 31.50@4.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 25.000. Market active; 5c higher for heavy packing and shipping, steady to shade higher for light; good clearane. Mixed and butchers', 32.95@4.12%; good to choice heavy, 44.00@4.12%; rough heavy, 33.96@3.95; light, 32.96@4.07%; bulk of sales, 34.00@4.07%.

LOCAL LIVE STOCK MARKET Native wethers, \$1,55@4.75; lambs, \$4,00@5.50; Western lambs, \$5,00@5.50; OF INTEREST TO STOCKMEN.

Western States to Co-operate Against Tuberculosis-Other Items.

An adjourned meeting of the live stock sanita-boards of this section, or, more properly, their n organization, the Western Live Stock Sanitary As-cation, was held yesterday morning at the sto-yards, and the following adopted in reference to

berculosis:

"And this association does recommend to the state
and territories, which have become members that they
make the following rule in relation to tuberculosis a
part of their rules and regulations for the year 1200,
and for all following years during the life of this as
weighten: part of their rules and regulations for the year 1309, and for all following years during the life of this association:

"It having been ascertained by the Western Association of Sanitary Commissions that a great many of the dairy and breeding cattle in the following states: Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, Ohlo, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Iowa, Minnesota, California, Kentucky and Tennessee, are infected with a dangerous and infectious disease in cattle known as tuberculosis, and that many of said cattle are being shipped into the states and territories which are members of this association for breeding and dairy putposes; it is further ordered that from and after this date it will be unlawful for any cattle to be shipped or transported from any of the states named into any of the states or territories which are members of this association for dairy or breeding purposes unless they have been examined and found free of tuberculosis, a permit or bill of health given by a veterinarian of the United States bureau of animal industry, or a veterinarian under the order and directions of the live stock sanitary board of either of the above named states, and a certificate given in duplicate, the original of which shall be forwarded to the secretary of the sanitary board of the state or territory to which the cuttle are destined, and a duplicate given to the railroad company to be attached to the bill of lading for said cattle."

"In examining cattle from the states above named destined to points within the state or territories

railroad company to be attached to the bill of lading for said cattle."

"In examining cattle from the states above named destined to points within the state or territories which are members of this association, the regular scientific tuberculine test shall be made, as well as physical examinations of the animals offered.

"In addition to the states above named cattle cannot come into either of the states or territories of this association from the states of Colorado or Nebraska, unless they are accompanied by an affidavit setting out the facts that the cattle offered for shipment destined to states and territories that are members of this association, that the cattle offered are natives born and raised within the state and are free from any of the states scheduled above, and requiring tubercoline tests before being allowed to be shipped, then they will be subject to the same requirements as the states scheduled and will carry the same papers.

"No railroad company shall accent for shipment not."

then they will be subject to the same requirements as the states acheduled and will carry the same papers.

"No railroad company shall accept for shipment not receive from connecting lines any such cattle, nor bring nor ship them into any state or territory that are memberà of this association for breeding or dairy purposes, unless all the provisions of this order have been fully complied with."

After the joint meeting of the live stock sanitary boards Friday the Missouri commissioners met and adopted the following:

As there has been some dodging the question in regard to inspecting cattle by the Kansas board, when the same are billed to Kansas City, Mo., the Missouri board hereby takes action which will leave no further room for quibbling on the part of shippers and railroads, and

It is hereby ordered. That during the months of November and December, 1896, cattle coming from points south of the quarantine line to points in the state of Missouri (unless for immediate slaughter in cars tagged "Southern cattle") they must be accumpanied by a health permit signed by one of the following named inspectors: D. F. Luckey, D. N. Jewett, C. E. Collins, R. G. Ross, J. W. Chamberlain, C. M. Floyd or L. Mussrove—they being joint inspectors for Missouri and Kansas for the months named. Any violation of this order will be punished as provided by the law of Missouri.

Passed this 8th day of December, 1899, by the Missouri state board of agriculture.

The 23 red Polled cattle from J. W. Martin, Rich-land City, Wis., billed to J. H. Jennings, Martin-dale, Tex., delayed here for test for tuberculosis, passed a satisfactory inspection and proceeded to their destination yesterday.

Jim Simcox was up from St. Louis yesterday. Receipts of quarantine cattle the past week were 3,321 cattle and 2 calves, against 3,711 cattle and 1

J. K. Southee was 58 years old Friday and, as besitting the occasion, his office friends called him to account and caned him with a handsome gold headed cane. John Sparks, of Reno, Nev., who has been selling so many high-priced Hereford cattle here, took home a motley shipment yesterday. There were a few new bought Herefords, some Shorthorns and Jerseys, and with a number of live opossums, fores and buildogs. Mr. Sparks is a Southern gentleman, and is very fond of baked 'possum once in a while.

H. P. Snow, Eaton, Kas., was in yesterday with iogs. Morris & Runyon, Wheaton, Kas., had in hogs yes-erday. Nelse Nelson, Norcada, Kas., was in yesterday with hogs.
Frank Hobart, Gien Elder, Kas., came in yester-day with hogs.
C. Hunter, Inavale, Neb., was at the yards yester-C. Hunter, Inavale, Neb., was at the yards yester-day with hogs. L. Boggs, Coolage, Col., was at the yards yester-L. Boggs, Coolings, Coll., was at the jares fay with cattle.

Austin Thompson, Ray county, Mo., was here yesterday with hogs.

J. D. Andrews, Geary county, Kas., came in yesterday with hogs.

E. T. Wears, Lowry City, Mo., was at the yards Charance Taylor, Discharge Character Taylor, yesterday with hogs.
P. J. Hederick, Buckner, Mo., was on the yards yesterday with hogs.
John Harder and Edward Clawson, Butler county, Kas., were on the yards yesterday with cattle.

PRODUCE MARKET.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET. Little Changed and Slow Under Bad Weather.

Quotations below are for car lots. On small lots, ligher prices are asked and obtained, enough being saked to cover the cost of caring for and filling them. asked to cover the cost of caring for and filling them.

BUTTER—Coming in more freely, but all good stock wanted at full prices. Receipts, 321 packages. Creamery, extra fancy separator, 25c per pound; firsts, 22c; dairy, fancy, 18c; store packed, 18c; country roll, 156;16c; packing stock, 14c.

EGGS—Weak and low sale. Much storage stock offering. Receipts, 304 cases. Fresh candled Missouri and Kansas, 154c; storage, 100;12b per dozen.

POULTRY—Quiet and weak. Receipts, 17s coops. Hens, live, 5c pound; old roosters, 15c each; young, 20c; large springs, 6c; large capons, 761c b; ducks, 5½c; geese, 5c; turkeys, hens, 6c; springs, 6c; old toms, 5½c. Pigeons, 50c dozen.

BUTTERINE—Quoted: Dairy grades, 12c; medium grades, 14c; creamery grades, 16c; 1-pound rolls, bricks and prints, 1c over above prices; 2 and 3-pound rolls, 10 and 20-pound packages, 1½c over above prices.

CHEESE—Steady and firm. The quotations follow: New York and Ohio full cream, 13½c; Wisconsin fancy and full cream, 13½c; Voung America full cream, 23½c; Missonsin fancy and full cream, 13½c; Voung America full cream, 13½c; Woung America full cream, 13½c; Missonsin fancy and full cream, 13½c; Voung America full cream, 13½c; Missonsin fancy and full cream, 13½c; Woung America full cream, 13½c; Woung America full promoted for the pro

POTATOES—Selling fairly and prices unchanged POTATOES—Selling rainty and support of the carry and demand only moderate. Home grown, 35@37c per bushel from growers; sacked, 40c by the carry Northern, 40@50c per bushel; Colorado, 55@50c per ushel. SWEET POTATOES-Higher. Home grown, 60@ SWEET POTATOES—Higher. Home grown, 60@ 65c per dozen from growers.

APPLES—Steady and good to choice in demand. Home grown, 75c@21.00 per bushel; good to choice, 13.00@4.00 per barrel; fancy would bring more; poor to fair, 12.00@2.50 per barrel.

PEARS—Only California on sale and in fair demand. Quoted at \$2.00@2.50 per box.

HICKORY NUTS—Large, 75c per bushel, and shell-barks, from the country, 30c per bushel, GRAPES—Doing fairly. The quotations follow: California white, 11.40@1.50 per 4-basket crate, Tokay, 11.65@1.75; Verdel, 31.65 per 4-basket crate; ger crate.

GAME—Moving fairly well. The quotations of the country of the c

California white, 31.00g1.30 per 4-banket crate. To-kay, 31.50g1.35; Verdel, 31.45 per 4-banket crate; Malaga, 37.00g1.30 per keg. Emperor, 31.70g1.73 per crate.

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GREASE—Car lots, white, 4c; yellow, 2\(\frac{1}{2}\)corp.

FURS—We quote: Raccoon, large, 70c; medium, 55c; small and No. 2, 40c. Skunk, black, \$1,0001.25;

Social Striped, 700580c; narrow striped, 46670c; propal striped, 15670c; mail, 50690c; porsum, large, 15670c; medium, 15670c; small, 50690c. Opossum, large, 15670c; medium, 10012c; small, 5670c. Muskrat, fall, 7c; winter, 10c; spring, 15670c; prime, 15670c; medium, 10012c; spring, 15670c; prime, 15670c. House, cats, 5670c. Fox, gray, 50675c; red, 75c011.00.

Wolf, mountain, 75c071.00; prairie, 40680c. Wildeat, 15675c. Beaver, large, 56.00; medium, \$4.50; small, \$1.0062.00. Badger, 10570c. Otter, prime large, \$6.00; prime small, \$2.00. Bear, \$15.00 and down, as to size and quality.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 9—WOOL—Firm; generally held higher. Medium grades, 19675c; light fine, 18672c; heavy fine, 14\(\frac{1}{2}\)circ (tub washed, 24675c.

A very good and steady trade continues to be had in most meats and lard, but mainly cash business. Speculation still light, though there is a more confi-dent feeling all round. The quotations: GREEN MEATS—Hams, \$7.0068.00; shoulders, \$5.00 GREAT SHOULD MEATS—Shoulders, 25.50 SWEET FICKLED MEATS—Shoulders, 25.50 St. 52½; hams, 37.7569.25.
DRY SALT MEATS—Shoulders, cash, 45.50 S.62½ per cwt.; short ribs, 45.15 S.5.2; short clear, 45.20 S.25.
LARD—Prime steam, 45.03.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—COFFEE—Futures opened steady at 5g10 points advance on better European cables than expected and covering in absence of cables from Rio and Santos, closed on account of holidays. The trade was encouraged by heavy warehouse deliveries reaching 25,845 bags. Light local liquidation caused further advance and caused a partial reaction near the close, with the market finally steady, net unchanged to 5 points advance. Total sales, 8,500 bags, including March at 6,15c; April, 6.15c; May, 6,25c; July, 6,30c; September, 6,35c. Spot coffee—Rio, firm; No. 7, involce, 7c; No. 7, jobbing, 74c; mild, steadler; Cordova, 68,913gc. SUGAR—Steady for raw; fair refining, 3 13-15c; centrifugal, 95 test, 45c; molasses sugar, 3 9-15c; refined steady; No. 6, 45c; No. 7, 15c; No. 8, 44c; No. 9, 45-15c; No. 10, 45-15c; confectioners' A. 4 15-16c; cut losf, 5 9-15c; crushed, 5 9-15c; powdered, 53c; granulated, 6 3-15c; cutes, 5 5-15c.

crussed, 5-16c; powdered, 6%c; granulated, 6-16c; cubes, 5-16c.
NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9.—SUGAR—Firm; open ketle, 3%63%c; open kettle centrifugal, 3%645-16c; centrigula plantation granulated, 41-16c; whites, 4%
64%c; yellow, 3%64%c; mecands, 2%64c. MOLASSES—Strong; open kettle, 37642c; centrifugal,
10634c; syrup, 35629c.

Government Quarantine Order. WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The usual annual quar antine order against the area where splentic o Southern (Texas) fever exists among cattle will be issued shortly by the department of agriculture to take effect January 1. The order will be substantial by like that of last year, the most important diff ference being that whereas last year the whole of California was included in the proscribed area the quarantine line now, in view of the co-operation of state authorities, will be drawn across the state in an easterly line from San Francisco. The quarantined area will consist of all of the states of South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana, Indian Territory and parts of the states, of North Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Oklahoma and California. The boundary lines may be modified slightly later where the co-operation of state authorities may justify it. ence being that whereas last year the whole

Flour.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—FLOUR—Receipts, 5,225 barrels; exports, 13,172 barrels, Dull, but steady. Winter patents, 13,50@3.90; winter atraights, 13,55@3.45; winter extras, 12.50@3.90; winter low grades, 12.50@2.40; Minnesota patents, 12,80@4.00; Minnesota barrels, 15,90@3.10, RYB FLOUR—Quiet; fair to good, 13,00@3.20; choice to fancy, 12,25@3.50. BUCK-WHEAT FLOUR—Steady, 12,25@2.55. CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—FLOUR—Receipts, 25,000 barrels; shipments, 17,000 barrels, 3240@3.50; etanis, 31,40@3.50; straights, 13,00@3.20; clear, 12,50@3.50; straights, 12,70@3.00; bakers, 13,00@3.20; clear, 12,50@3.50; straights, 12,70@3.00; bakers, 13,00@3.50; Fatents, 13,60@3.50; straights, 12,70@3.00; bakers, 13,00@3.50; Fatents, 13,60@3.50; second patents, 13,20@3.30; clear, 12,75@2.90. MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 9.—FLOUR—Receipts, 5,000 barrels; shipments, 5,000 barrels, Quiet, Patents, 14,60%3.60; excond patents, 13,20@3.30; first clear, 12,75@2.90.

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